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TELEGRAPHIC.

WINSPIRE, February 1.

The insurgents have won a big victory in Poland.
Another insurance has occurred at Oporto.
Joseph Chamberlain says England needs a new political party.
Miss Lockhart was killed in a runaway at Bayside city on Monday.
Thirty sailors were drowned from a British bark near Antwerp.
Spreed, the British Columbia murderer, was hanged on Tuesday.
The Princess of Wales has not retired from society as announced.
Harvey Smith, son of Hon. Frank Smith, who was lost in the Rockies, has been found.
It is announced that Gladstone will resign and retire from public life before parliament meets.
P. J. Duffer, a mail clerk in Toronto has been arrested for robbing the mails of a large amount.
There is an epidemic of fever in Dakota towns caused by drinking polluted water from the Red River.

LOCAL.

Still beautiful weather.
Trains left Calgary on time.
The Hudson's Bay mail packet from Peace River arrived on Saturday from the Landing and went out on Monday.
James Dimer has purchased the business of the Edmonton Cartage Co. from D. C. Robertson, and will carry it on in future.
H. Horos of South Edmonton has secured the sole handling of coal from the Rabbit Hill mines, from the proprietor Mr. Morris.
The lost valise advertised in last Monday's issue of the BULLETIN awaits its owner at Mr. Brown's livery stable. Moral—as before.
The North West government have opened an immigration office in Toronto this winter. A. B. Stewart agent. The office will be open about three months.
FOR SALE: Thursday, John West of Wetaskiwin to Jas. Walsh, \$46.70. Friday, M. Meeks, to Jas. Walsh \$55.50. Ross & Forbes, Fort Saskatchewan; to R. Secord \$99.50.
The Canadian government has decided to discontinue the payment of bonuses of \$10 each to heads of families and \$5 each to adults members, which has been allowed for some years back.
Herald, Calgary: "W. Nesbitt of Edinburgh, Scotland, is selecting a tract of land in Northern Alberta, for some twenty families who intend coming out in the spring from Melbourne."
REV. FREDERICK MILLER, of the German Baptist congregations at Leduc and Rabbit Hill who arrived from Wolsynia, Russia, last summer, expects 60 more German families to settle in the vicinity of Leduc in the spring.
The MacLeod Gazette and Medicine Hat Times report stock in their respective districts in good condition this winter. The Gazette however reports some small losses from cattle crowding into water holes in the rivers and being drowned.
A cold snap occurred in Manitoba on the night of January 24th. At St. John's college, Winnipeg, the thermometer was 42 below. At Brandon it was 52 and at Douglas 54 below. At Edmonton it was 21 below and had been 35 the day before.
FREE PRESS: "Wm. McKernan of Lucan, Ontario, has the appointment of instructor for one of the Indian schools in the Northwest, and will leave in two months to take charge of the same." Mr. McKernan is a brother of Robert and James McKernan of Edmonton. The school of which he is to have charge is the Red Deer Industrial, under control of the Methodist church.
The Fife (Scotland) Herald and Journal of December 27th contains a lengthy obituary notice of the late Robert Milne, father of A. T. Milne of Edmonton. The deceased was a ballie of Fife from 1862 until 1882. He was a member of the school board, of which he was chairman, from 1876 to 1882, and was a past master of the St. John's lodge of Free Masons.
An arrangement has been arrived at between the curling club and Mr. Ormsby, the new lessee of the skating rink, whereby the club has the use of the rink on Tuesdays and Fridays of each week, both day and night, at a rental of \$6.00 a day, light to be furnished, rinks laid out and ice kept in condition. In case of a visiting team the club has the privilege of two extra days in the week. The first play under the new arrangement will be to-morrow. The managing committee wish that the names of rinks desiring to play should be handed in forthwith.
Immediately after mass on Sunday last, January 28th, in the church of Notre Dame des Lourdes, Fort Saskatchewan, the congregation met at the priest's house to celebrate his 28th birthday. To mark the occasion, they offered to the Rev. Father Deane, with their best wishes, a purse of over \$50. The Rev. Father was taken by surprise, but answered in his own original way. The address accompanying the purse was read by Mr. Alfred Lamoureux. The success of the presentation is due to Mrs. L. O. Lamoureux and Mrs. T. Lamoureux, who solicited the subscriptions.
On Thursday night last the driver of one of the buses which went to meet the train at the station, on his return found a little boy curled up under the benches in the bus fast asleep. On being aroused the child could give no account of himself as he was unable to speak, and where he came from or who he was a mystery. He went around the street for some time and into and out of the stores until at last he brought up at the fire hall. Town clerk Randall gave him his supper and engineer Oliver fixed up a bed for him. At last by telephoning to South Edmonton it was found that he was a child of J. Gainer. He must have crawled into the bus while it was waiting at the station. He reached home in safety about nine o'clock.

Roads are heavy outside of town.

JAMES PRUDEN of Beaver Lake in town to-day.
L. HERCHMER commissioner N. W. M. Police, arrived on Monday's train.
Brick is being placed on the ground for D. W. Macdonald's new building, to be commenced in the spring.
Miss EDMISTON, sister of the Messrs. Edmiston Clover Bar, arrived on Monday's train direct from Scotland.
T. W. CHALMERS, D. L. S., has removed his office to J. C. C. Bremner's building formerly occupied by Fitzgerald & Lucas.
Mrs. SNYDER, wife of Inspector Snyder, and daughter, arrived on Monday's train, direct from Scotland, a little over two weeks on the way.
Dr. GOODWIN has imported a bass violin direct from London, England, with which to take part in the concert of the orchestral society. It is an immense affair.
M. MALONEY of South Edmonton, returned from Saddle Lake on Friday, and reports the roads badly drifted. He killed a valuable cross fox with a cub while on the trip. He confirms the report that the rabbits have commenced to die off.
A. W. ORMSBY has secured the lease of the skating rink from J. H. Caldwell. Mr. Ormsby is well and favorably known from his connection with the skating rink last season as being most courteous and obliging, and will no doubt make the rink a success. The carnival last night was the first event under the new management, and its success fully sustained Mr. Ormsby's reputation as a manager.
The fire tanks at the H. B. store, at the Imperial Bank, at E. Raymer's and at the fire hall were filled on Monday last. The day was rather cold for the work or still more would have been done. The frequent stoppages of the stream in changing from one tank to another allowed shell ice to form within the hose which on being loosened from the sides by a fresh stream had a tendency to plug the hose.
PASTOR H. E. WISE of Calgary, who has so interested and delighted audiences in Edmonton during the meetings in connection with the Baptist Church opening will preach this evening at 7:30 in the Methodist church, South Edmonton, when a collection and contributions will be taken for the Edmonton Baptist church fund. A large attendance is confidently expected, when doubtless the best of the wine will be served at the last of the feast.
The Medicine Hat Times mentions that preparations have been made to start a rival paper at the Hat, and announces its intention to stay with the place. If the BULLETIN's opinion is worth anything the newspaper held at the Hat is too limited, and the patronage too controllable, to make it worth while to fight for a share of it. The Times man publishes a good paper, and he would do better to transfer his plant and talents to some other point where he would have a freer and perhaps a wider field. The Times' loyalty to Mr. Davin, M. P., which seems to be the cause of its trouble, is a case in which valor takes the place of discretion.

CURLING.

The first curling game of the season was held in the rink on Tuesday afternoon. The rinks were:

Jas. Lauder, sen.	J. A. McDougall.
W. McKay.	F. Oliver.
T. G. Lander.	R. Vance.
J. Looby, skip, 16.	Jas. McDonald, 10.
C. Sandison	A. Turnbull.
F. Ross	E. Raymer.
E. Looby	C. W. Sutter.
J. H. Kelly skip 9.	J. Thurston, skip, 5.

Tuesday night:
C. Sandison
A. Turnbull.
F. Ross
A. M. Campbell.
E. Looby
W. G. Hibston.
J. H. Kelly, skip.
F. A. Osborne skip.
Kelly won by 3.
R. Vance, vs. T. G. Lauder, won by Vance.

CARNIVAL.

The carnival of last night was very successful in point of attendance and in taste and variety of costumes. The ice was fully occupied by skaters and every inch of available standing or sitting room was occupied by spectators. The music by the fire brigade band added greatly to the pleasure of the occasion.
As many of those who appeared in costume did not hand in the name of the character which they assumed a complete list cannot be given. The following is as nearly a complete list as it has been possible to secure:

Miss L. E. Pettipiece—Dancing Girl.
Miss Maud Lauder—The Old Woman who Lived in a Shoe.
Miss Rosie Bush—Mrs. Mary quite contrary.
Miss Ethel Matheson—Alberta.
Miss Jennie Goodridge—Vivandiere.
Miss Maggie Lauder—Admiral.
Miss Edna Matheson—Gypsy.
Miss Annie Lauder—Highland Lassie.
Miss L. Kennedy—Sweden.
Miss Mary Heimick—Queen of Roses.
Miss Jennie Lauder—Sunflower.
Miss Eva Foster—Rose Maiden.
Mrs. C. F. Strang—Crossing Sweeper.
Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Macdonald—Quaker and Quakeress.
Miss Annie Robertson—Queen of Night.
Miss Bella Sutherland—College girl.
Miss Richardson—Brick.
Miss Flossie Matheson—Latest style in Hats.
F. S. Glover—Esquimaux.
Geo. Young—Weary Waggles, tramp.
Frank Hardisty—Dude.
C. Young—St. Jacob.
Geo. Ball—Highlander.
J. S. Stovel—Nigger dude.
J. J. McIntyre—Cowboy.
J. W. Kelly—Sailor.
A. Grierson—Officer.
Howard Dulmage—Cowboy.
Lennie Goodridge—Highland Laddie.
Lawrence Heimick—Sailor.

H. Bowen—Private U. S. Army.
J. G. Fairbanks—American Officer.
Ed. Jackson—Sailor.
John Pettipiece—Nigger Nurse.
Bert Folliott—Artillery officer.
Archy McLeod—Aunt Dinah.
Alf. McLeod—Nigger wench.
Howard Cameron—Nigger tramp.
Scott Sin leaker—Tramp.
R. A. Ross—Sambo.

The prize winners were:
Ladies best costume, Miss Annie Robertson.
Girls under 15, best costume, Miss Jennie Lauder.
Gentlemen's best costume, Frank Hardisty.
Best fancy skater, George Ball.
Boys best costume and skating, George Young.
Winner of boys race, Howard Cameron.
Three competitors.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST.

On Thursday night Jan. 25th, a black cashmere waist, white silk puff in front. On street between North & Church and Queen's Hotel. Finder is requested to have at BELLATI'S office.

FOUND.

Came to my premises about the middle of November last a dark fox fly, about three years old, small star on forehead. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take away.

ROBERT HOLMES,
Section 5, Township 53, Range 23.

ENTRUST.

Two bay horses with white spot on forehead. One branded on left shoulder, and F on right hip with O. One bay horse with brand F on left hip. Owner will apply to
HENRY DAHL,
Leduc, Al. a.

PIANO AND ORGAN TUNING.

I expect to be in Edmonton to do business in this line in week beginning Feb. 5th. And shall be pleased to receive orders from all my old patrons and the many new owners who do not know me. Good work guaranteed.
J. B. ESULEMAN,
P. S.—Address orders to P. O. Box 37.

"Money to loan for building purposes."

Why pay rent when the same money paid monthly will buy you a home in seven years. Apply to the Edmonton Real Estate and Investment Co. Ltd.
P. DALY, J. D. CLARKE,
MANAGER, SEC. TREAS.

W. B. ARNOLD.

Carriage, Sign and House painter.
Kalsomining, and Paper Hanging, Decorating, Graining, Etc., Etc.,
Shop opposite Ross Bros. Edmonton.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Messrs. & McErmott, in the business of H. B. Dealers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership, are to be paid to P. L. McNamara of Edmonton.
Dated at Edmonton aforesaid this 27th day of January A. D. 1894.
Witness } E. J. BANGS.
P. L. McNamara } J. S. McErmott.

Business Change.

The undersigned has acquired the business known as the EDMONTON CARTAGE Co and will continue the general teaming and delivery business under that name. Prompt service. Orders solicited.
JAS. DINNER,
Office at M. McCauley's stable.

Glover & Andrews'

BOOK AND STATIONERY STORE.
All kinds of Musical Instruments, Sheet Music, Et SEWING MACHINES.
Piano Tuning a Specialty.
JASPER Avenue.

Cowie & Round,

REAL ESTATE LIST FOR JANUARY, 1894.
Improved farms and selected wild lands near the Town of

Edmonton,
South Edmonton,
Fort Saskatchewan, and
St. Albert;
also in the settlements of
Sturgeon River,
Clover Bar,
Stony Plain,
Sandy Lake,
Big Lake and
Beaver Lake.

We invite inspection at our office of full descriptive lists from which are quoted the following:
A highly cultivated farm of 320 acres one mile South of railway station \$5,000.
A splendid 600 acre farm two miles from Town Hall, Edmonton, \$4,000.
A farm of 147 acres six miles from Edmonton, \$900.
An excellent farm of 100 acres ten miles from Edmonton, \$850.
A beautiful farm of 430 acres three miles from St. Albert \$5,000.

Farms from 1/2 of a mile to 50 miles from Railroad station; from 50 to 600 acres in size; from \$3.00 per acre upwards in price; all being the PICK OF THE BEST PART OF CANADA.

A FEW FARMS TO RENT

EDMONTON TOWN PROPERTY
Business Lots on Main Street from \$500 to \$1,000.
Residential Lots near centre of town \$150; charming sites on H. B. reserve from \$50 upwards; cheap lots north of Main street.

Houses for sale and to let.
INVEST NOW BEFORE CERTAIN ADVANCE IN SPRING.

For full information apply to
COWIE & ROUND,
Real Estate Brokers.

Mortgage Sale

Under and by virtue of a certain Real Estate Mortgage, dated the 7th day of November, A. D. 1892 and wherein Joseph Balise is named as Mortgagee. There will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at the Sheriff's Office, Edmonton, in the District of Alberta on Monday the 22nd day of January next at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, by Walter Scott Robertson, Auctioneer, the following property namely:—

All and singular that certain tract of land and premises situate lying and being the south east quarter of section twenty two (22), township fifty-four (54), range twenty-five (25), west of the fourth (4) meridian in the District of Alberta in the Northwest Territories of Canada containing by admeasurement one hundred and sixty (160) acres be the same more or less together with a buildings and improvements thereon.

TERMS part CASH, balance on easy terms of payment.

Dated at Edmonton this 21st day of December 1893.

For further particulars apply to S. S. & H. C. TAYLOR, S. J. Clarks for Mortgage.

POSTPONEMENT.

The above sale is postponed to Monday, February 5th.

W. J. RICHARDSON
Commission
— AND —
Manufacturers' Agent.
Office over John Cameron's store.
P. O. Box 25. Edmonton N. W. T.

Post Office:-----
----:Drug Store,
EDMONTON, ALTA.

The undersigned having purchased from Role Wynne & Co. Winnipeg, the drug business lately carried on in Edmonton by R. Ross, will open a complete new stock in a few days. A full line of drugs and patent medicines, etc. Only fresh and strictly pure drugs will be kept in stock.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN
SPRUCE
the leading cough mixture of the age.

G. H. Graydon,
Graduate Ontario College Pharmacy.

Notice of Assignment

NOTICE is hereby given that M. G. Connor, of Edmonton, furniture dealer, did on the 24th day of November, 1893, assign to me all his real and personal property not exempt from seizure, bonds, notes and book debts, &c., for the benefit of his creditors.
All persons owing the said estate must make immediate payment to the undersigned. The deed of the assignment lies at the office of C. M. Woodworth, at Edmonton, for the signature of the creditors.
THOMAS BELLAMY,
Assignee.

Until further notice business will be conducted as usual at the old stand, Pioneer furniture house Jasper Avenue.

Moore & Macdowall

(LIMITED)

Office Lafferty & Moore's Bank

Prince Albert and Edmonton

Lumber,

Shingles,

Lath.

C. F. Strang, Agent,

EDMONTON.

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DRY GOODS,

Clothing,

Boots and Shoes,

Groceries,

and Provisions, Etc.,

— A T —

Brown & Curry.

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W H A R T O N ' S

MAIN STREET.

Raymond Hotel

A Smoking Concert will be held at the "Raymond Hotel" on the evening of Friday, Feb. 2nd. Programmes of admission to be had on application next week at Messrs Glover & Andrews Music Store.

P. Heimick & Co.

Agents for the sale of town lots on Hudson's Bay Company's Reserve.

Ross' Estate.

Methodist Mission Estate.

McDougall Estate.

Pritchard Estate.

Sub-division of River Lots 12 and 14.

Choice business lots on Main Street.

Well established General Store doing a splendid business.

Cool Claim for sale, 40 acres, only 2 1/2 miles from railway, known as "The White Mud Mine."

LAND SCRIP BOUGHT AND SOLD.

P. HEIMICK & CO.,

Edmonton, Alberta.

E. Raymer,
Watchmaker
—AND—
Jeweller.

I am now selling watches from \$4.00 upwards.

A fine alarm clock only \$2.00, warranted for one year. Also 1 and 8-day striking clocks from \$3.00 to \$40.00.

A fine line of Jewelry and Silverware at Eastern prices.

Wedding rings, Gem rings always in stock.

Watches, Clocks, Jewellery Etc., repaired and guaranteed.

E. RAYMER

H. B. CO.

(Incorporated 1870.)

Our 20% Discount

Sale for Cash, will

continue to end of

month.

It applies to our

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AND

as an inducement

for our customers

to call on us, we

will allow the dis-

count on

EDMONTON MILL-

ING CO'S

STRONG BAKERS

FLOUR,

the best quality.

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Fancy, Strong

Bakers Flour

for \$2.00 a sack.

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Hudson's Bay Co.

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Standing advertisement—50 cts a line for 3 months.

FRANK OLIVER. — PROPRIETOR.

NOTICE.

Patrons of the BULLETIN are respectfully reminded that this issue is the last of the quarter volume, and that payment for all printing and advertising already done is now due. Accounts will be presented forthwith and prompt payment is requested. Subscriptions are paid in advance.

EDMONTON BULLETIN, FEBRUARY 1st, 1894.

A GROWLER.

W. H. Lewis, of Red Deer settlement, and formerly and now once more of Ottawa, Ont., is creating quite an excitement by his reports of farming matters at Red Deer. Judging from the reports of the interviews that have been held with him, he is one of the many who have come to the North West with false and foolish ideas, such as boomsters always advance and suckers always believe rather than the truth, and not having realized his expectations he blames every one but himself. While he tells a great many hard and unpleasant truths, he tells them in such a way as to exaggerate their unpleasantness, and unfortunately does not confine himself to truths. For instance he says that more settlers are leaving the country than are going in. This is simply an utter falsehood. He says he left last year's grain unthreshed in his barns because he could not have sold it. This may be true, but if it is it is because it was not of a quality fit for sale. At Edmonton, which is 100 miles further from the export market than Red Deer, cash has been paid all winter for wheat, oats and barley, potatoes, hay, beef, pork, mutton and poultry, and it is certainly very strange if there is such a glut of produce at Red Deer that cash prices cannot be realized there. As a matter of fact sufficient grain is not yet raised in the Red Deer district for home consumption owing to the rapid increase of settlement, and consequently prices are higher than at Edmonton. Of course the high local railway rates are a great drawback to the country, and the fact that C. P. R. lands are being brought to a great extent by speculators is also a drawback. But still the railroad is a great convenience, and if we had more people, and consequently more power, we could compel a reduction in those local rates. The railway land being in the hands of speculators is no greater drawback than when it was in the hands of the C. P. R.—nor as much—for it only becomes taxable when it falls into private hands; and besides most of the lands that are being purchased are not for speculation, but for settlement. That evils and drawbacks exist even in this country, every one will admit, but to exaggerate them is only to aggravate them. We do not want mere complaints, but remedies. What we want is not mere growlers—for any body can find fault—but workers, who knowing what is injuring them use intelligent effort to remove the cause of injury; not like a cur, come up to fawn and then, receiving a partly expected kick, run and howl. Of the Red Deer district, Mr. Lewis says, "The country, soil and climate were magnificent; he did not think there could be anything better in the world."

IN IRELAND.

A copy of the Kilkenny (Ireland) Journal contains a long interview with George Leary Dominion government immigration agent from Manitoba, who it will be remembered visited Edmonton last fall to secure information. Mr. Leary does full justice to this district in the interviews published and is evidently a rustler in the work which he has undertaken. The paper in which the interview is published is a rabid home ruler and in its comments on the interview declares itself opposed to emigration, but admits that Mr. Leary tells a straight story, and assents—with evident unwillingness—to his propositions. In reply to a question regarding schools and churches, Mr. Leary said:

"Education is Canada's hobby, wherever ten or more children can be found in a new settlement a school is started, and the government grants to education are so liberal that no further aid is felt; all schools are free. In religious matters the utmost freedom of

conscience is allowed, and it makes no difference to us whether a man is a Catholic or protestant, a Jew or a Gentile, as long as he has the principle of a man, no one enquires about his particular plan of salvation. As a matter of fact, however, no one can escape from religious instruction in the West. Missionaries follow close on the heels of settlers, and all denominations are well represented. The Catholic Church is everywhere. At St. Albert, seven miles north of Edmonton, Bishop Grandin, of Saskatchewan, has his palace, convent, and schools. It was a surprise to me last summer to see such fine buildings and such a high class of civilization in a comparatively unsettled district, but one must remember that the Catholic Church has had its missionaries amongst the Indians there for the past 150 years, and what is a new country to us is a relatively old one to them."

"Are there any free lands near St. Albert?"

"Yes, within an hour's drive, and cheap lands almost adjoining the palace."

"Any Irishmen out there?"

"Not as many as we would like. There is a St. Patrick's Society in Winnipeg with many fine members, of which Patrick Lawlor, governor of the Eastern Judicial District jail, is president. Irishmen can be found in every district, and are generally at the front in all social and political movements. There is quite an Irish Settlement at St. Albert, near Edmonton, and exclusive of the church dignitaries, Daniel Maloney, a splendid type of an Irishman, is the principal man of the place. Any person who wants any information about that locality should write him."

In describing the Territories at large Mr. Leary said: In the great wheat-growing and cattle districts of Manitoba, Assiniboia, Alberta, and Saskatchewan, distinct lines are drawn between the seasons, and when snow falls in December it lies on the ground till March; the frost is sharp and the air dry, and life is really enjoyable. Nearly every day the sun shines in a clear, blue sky, and although there is a low marking of the thermometer no one complains of the cold more than they do here. Winnipeg, the capital of Manitoba, is 150 miles south of Dublin. They have an ideal winter in the Alberta district."

"Does your Government give any assistance to emigrants?"

"Yes, the best kind of assistance; 160 acres of the richest land that lies out of doors on the face of the globe."

"Do they do anything in the way of assisted passage?"

"No, the Canadian character is one of sturdy independence, and it is difficult to make them understand in that land of plenty why any man with arms on him should need help in that way; besides, Canada is the nearest point in which free lands can be obtained, and the cost of going over is no great obstacle."

"Has the land that is granted to be cleared of wood?"

"The settler has first choice of millions of acres. He can take grass land clear of timber and ready for the plough, and as easily cultivated as grass land here, or he can select park land, part prairie and part wooded."

"Have you any coal over there?"

"Coal? Yes, I think so. The district of Alberta alone has 65,000 square miles of coal, with an estimated output of 7,000,000 tons to the square mile. In some parts the farmers go to the river banks and dig their own coal, free."

FOR SALE.

The Hotel known as the Ontario House, South Edmonton, together with lot upon which it stands, the property of the estate of the late Thos. Smith, Containe Office, Sitting room and large dining room, and kitchen on ground floor, seven bed rooms, and sitting room on upper floor.

Apply to A. McNICOL, Administrator, Imperia Bank Buildings Edmonton.

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Lowest Price
when you buy, as the terms are strictly Cash at
J. H. GARIEPY.

Greatly Reduced Prices

—AT—

MRS. O. H. BUSH'S
In all lines of Millinery, Children's and Ladies' Wear.

Special value in ribbons.

EGGS AND BUTTER TAKEN IN EXCHANGE FOR GOODS.

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(SEMI-WEEKLY)

Telegraphic News,
General News,
Local News,
All the News

104 PAPERS

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News of Edmonton and surroundings up to hour of issue.

News of the world by telegraph up to day of issue and from two to five days ahead of any other paper reaching Edmonton.

Controlled only by the proprietor and therefore always ready and willing to speak out for the good of the town and district.

THE BULLETIN is read more generally throughout the Edmonton district than any other paper.

If you want to do business in the Edmonton district you can reach more of the people with a less expenditure of money through the advertising columns of the BULLETIN than by any other means.

Fair advertising rates charged, and like rates to all parties.

No advertising of a questionable nature admitted if its character is known.

THE BULLETIN Printing office is second to none in the Territories. Only first-class type, machinery and paper employed. Printing of all kinds done promptly, neatly and cheaply. Call and see samples of work, and get prices before ordering your printing elsewhere.

A newspaper is not a producing industry, but if properly conducted it assists and stimulates production and progress more than any other single agency of like cost. Money spent towards the support of a newspaper is almost entirely spent within the town in which the paper is published and is therefore not lost to the business of the town.

The local newspaper represents the district in which it is published to the outside world.

Support your home paper liberally if it deserves support, so that it can give the best possible impression of your town and district as a field for immigration and investment.

There is big money for a new town in having a live and interesting paper.

THE BULLETIN Fills the Bill.

READ IT.
SUBSCRIBE FOR IT.

ADVERTISE IN IT.

Get Your Printing Done by it.

In Helping the BULLETIN You Are Helping Yourself.

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Every Line

FOR THE

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Bargains

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Every Line

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— ALMOST — GIVEN — AWAY —

NOW IS

Your time to get first class Goods at very LOW FIGURES

Those owing the firm are invited to pay their accounts in Cash, or if Cash is not available, grain will be taken at Market Price.

LARUE & PICARD.

—THE—

Greatest Bargains

OF THE DAY are to be obtained at the

Manchester House.

There you can buy Fur Goods, Blankets, Winter Jackets, Overshoes and General Dry Goods Cheaper than in any other store in Town.

Attention is also directed to a very fine assortment of

Ladies Winter Underwear also Winter Hats. Over which Department MISS DOBSON presides.

Inspection cordially invited.

W. JOHNSTONE WALKER,

Direct Importer of English Goods.

RENAUD & KIEL, C.W. SUTTER & Co.

Painting and House Decorating in all its Branches.

Sign and Carriage Painting

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Main Street, - - - Edmonton.

Sleighs. Sleighs.

—AT—

Walter & Crockart,

UPPER FERRY CROSSING, - EDMONTON.

100 heavy BOB SLEIGHS.

—ALSO

Light driving Bob Sleighs,

Cutters and Jumpers,

All made from imported material.

Sleighs made to order and to suit customers.

BROWN & CURRY,

DRY GOODS,

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Boots and Shoes,

Groceries,

and Provisions, Etc.,

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Around Edmonton the soil is a black vegetable mould, from one to three feet in depth, overlying a light coloured sandy clay subsoil twelve feet in depth. This rests on a blue clay, which is broken at irregular intervals by water-bearing seams of sand or gravel, and by beds of coal of varying thickness. There is practically an inexhaustible fertility. If the black mould were worked out there would remain the twelve feet of sandy clay underneath, which is almost equally fertile, and can never be wrought out. Of course, the land is the better for good tillage, and manure as well, but instead of there being a continued battle as in the best parts of Great Britain to keep up the fertility of the soil, necessitating the bringing in of extraneous manures, this land can be kept at the highest pitch of fertility for ever merely by good cultivation, and returning to it the refuse of what is taken from it. The difference the staying power of the

FERTILITY OF THE SOIL

makes to the farmer, whether at home or abroad, cannot be over-estimated. It is the difference between wealth and poverty. The farmer who settles on a farm in a region where the soil lacks depth may do well for a time, but as the years go by his land after going up to a certain pitch in value invariably declines as it becomes worked out, for the simple reason that the farm consumes too much according to the amount it produces. The result is disappointment and loss. How many localities can be pointed out all over the Dominion where settlers went in on light, quick-producing land, and spent the best years of their lives in making their homes, only to find that their land had become worthless through exhaustion, and that, therefore, their lives had been wasted. On the other hand there were those who went on deeper and more difficult land to reclaim and work, and found a veritable gold mine, which, by keeping up its fertility, while wealth and the conveniences of civilization grew around it, continually increased in value and made wealthy the owners almost in spite of themselves. This is

THE KIND OF LAND

that the Edmonton district has to offer to settlers to a degree not attained by any other part of the North-West territories that I visited—where a man may take up a farm and be satisfied that his children's children will find it as fertile as he did—where a man having once driven his stakes need never require to pull them up. The surface of the country is very gently undulating, except where cut by the deep valley of the Saskatchewan or the lesser valleys of its tributaries. Woods and prairie alternate irregularly. In some parts there are large plains free from timber, and in others considerable stretches of wood lands composed of large trees. Towards the North and West the proportion of wood increases until at about 60 miles distance, the forest region is reached. Towards the South and West the proportion of plain increases until, at a distance of from 75 to 150 miles, the woods entirely disappear and the great plains are entered upon, extending without a break to the Gulf of Mexico. The great distinguishing features of the Edmonton district as compared with other sections of the North-West is the abundance of timber. Nearly half of the whole surface of the Edmonton district proper is covered with large or small woods.

THE EFFECTS OF FORESTRY

on the climate of a country are nearly all beneficial, such as more equal distribution of rainfall. This is one of the most important points to be considered. Then, again, evaporation from the soil is much reduced. There is a vast difference between the condition of the bare soil on the open prairie and the soil of the glades intervening between these wooded groves, the belts of wood preventing the strong force of the winds with their great evaporating power. And on the beneficial effect to live stock, produced by the frequent occurrence of these shelter belts, be over-estimated. The timber of the district is chiefly poplar in the agricultural section, with large forests of spruce and fir to the West and North. The poplar, both white and black, grows large and straight, and makes excellent building logs. The grey willow grows to a very large size in some places, becoming a tree rather than a bush, and makes capital rails for fencing. The spruce of the district is very superior, both in size and quality, and forms very good lumber, suitable for all purposes of building for which pine is ordinarily used. The river Saskatchewan above Edmonton drains a spruce-bearing area of 150 miles, square ensuring a supply of timber for many years, and making lumbering one of the most important of Edmonton industries. The staple

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

of the district are wheat, barley, oats, potatoes, cabbages, and all other hardy vegetables, cattle and dairy products, hogs, sheep, horses, and poultry. In the production of all these articles I am quite sure that I am within the mark when I say that Edmonton is not excelled in all the North-West Provinces. The wheat marketed at Edmonton during the past winter brought a higher price per bushel than that marketed at any point in Manitoba, and Edmonton took first prize for grade in the straw over strong competition from all parts of the Territories at the Winnipeg Industrial Exhibition in 1891. It is now an ascertained fact that the nearer we approach to the northern limit of the cultivation of wheat the quality becomes the better, and Edmonton being the most northerly district in the Dominion where cultivation is carried on to any considerable extent, the quality of the wheat grown there is of the highest marketable grade, being small in the pea and very hard, and containing more gluten and less starch than wheat grown farther south. It brings a higher price in the British markets than the wheat from any other district or country, and higher even than the produce of our own soils. It cannot be denied, however, that the district is occasionally (perhaps once in ten years) subject to

EARLY FROSTS

which, when they occur, considerably deteriorate the quality of the wheat. But, as the trend of the land is down wards as we go north, and as the warm Chinook winds passing through the Peace River Pass temper the climate, frosts are not so common as they are much farther south, and not so frequent as they are farther east of the Edmonton country. Besides, the district is almost entirely exempt from the scourge called "cocking," which so often and so disastrously blights the wheat crop in the States. Fifty bushels of wheat are often reaped per acre, and it is no uncommon thing to grow forty bushels upon first breaking, and taking the average of a few years, thirty-five bushels per acre may be put down as the general yield. A vast difference this from the average of the United States, which for the last ten years has only run thirteen and a half bushels per acre. Still, as early frosts do sometimes injure the wheat crop before harvesting, experienced farmers advise not to put one's whole dependence upon this crop, but to divide the risk by having a portion of the farm in oats and barley. Oats grow prodigious crops, often yielding from eighty to a hundred bushels and even more per acre, less than sixty being considered a poor crop, the weight per bushel running from 38 to 50 lbs. Barley has yielded sixty bushels an acre and two-rowed barley, such as the English market demands, grows to perfection around Edmonton, and is considered

A MORE CERTAIN CROP

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